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F. & A. M.

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O. E. S.

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SONOMA GROVE, NO. 75, U. A. O. D., meets on the first and third Fridays of each month in Odd Fellows Hall.
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6.18 AM	6.40 AM	San Francisco	10.25 AM	10.30 AM
2.45 PM	3.37 PM	San Rafael and intermediates	7.15 P M	7.20 PM
10.30 AM	10.25 AM	Glen Ellen	6.40 AM	6.18 AM
7.20 PM	7.15 PM	and intermediates	3.37 PM	2.45 PM
6.18 AM	6.40 AM	Novato	10.25 AM	10.30 AM
2.45 PM	3.37 PM	Petaluma Santa Rosa and intermediates	7.15 PM	7.20 PM
6.18 AM 2.45 PM	6.40 AM	Cloverdale Healdsburg Lytton and intermediates	7.15 PM	10.30 AM 7.20 PM
6.18 AM	6.40 AM	Ukiah and intermediates	7.15 PM	7.20 PM
6.18 AM	6.40 AM	Sebastopol	10.25 AM	10.30 AM
2.45 PM	3.37 PM	and intermediates	7.15 PM	7.20 PM
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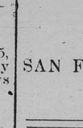
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A LAUGH IN CHURCH.

She sat on the sliding cushion,
The dear, wee woman of four.
Her feet, in their shiny slippers,
Hung dangling over the floor.
She meant to be good—she had promised—
And so, with her big, brown eyes,
She stared at the meeting house windows
And counted the crawling flies.

She looked far up at the preacher,
But she thought of the honeybees
Droning away at the blossoms
That whitened the cherry trees;
She thought of a broken basket
Where, curled in a dusky heap,
Three sleek, round puppies with fringy ears
Lay snuggled and fast asleep.

Such soft, warm bodies to cuddle;
Such queer little hearts to beat;
Such swift, round tongues to kiss;
Such sprawling, cushiony feet!
She could feel in her clasping fingers
The touch of the satiny skin
And a cold, wet nose exploring
The dimples under her chin.

Then a sudden ripple of laughter
Ran over the parted lips
So quick that she could not catch it
With her rosy finger tips.
The people whispered, "Bless the child!"
As each one waked from a nap,
But the dear, wee woman hid her face
For shame in her mother's lap.
—Pittsburg Times.

DYING LIKE A GENTLEMAN

A Story of Australian Gold Hunters.

A dozen men sat around a campfire alongside the trail which led from Hope Valley to Woona Walla.

The trail was 300 miles long and ran up hill and down, over plain and through scrub and now and then crossed a river or climbed a mountain.

The feet of 3,000 Australian gold hunters, accompanied for half the distance by wagons and pack horses, had left such a plain road behind that the next 3,000 could not go astray.

At no point on the trail could a dozen worse men have been picked out than the 12 who sat around Jim Agnew's campfire. They had banded together because they were bad. Had they traveled singly they would have fared badly at the hands of the crowd.

At 9 o'clock at night, with every man ripe for mischief from the liquor he had imbibed, the camp had a caller—two of them.

A man turned in from the trail and passed the fire and halted in the midst of the quarreling gang and dropped a burden from his back. It was a little girl 7 or 8 years old and sound asleep.

He pulled a blanket from under a man and spread it out to make a bed for the child, and he tucked her up with tender hand before he straightened up and looked about him and said:

"I carried her on my back from Sydney to Hope Valley, and, finding the rush on, I'm bound for Woona Walla."

"And who may you be?" queried Jim Agnew of the stranger.

"A gentleman, sir, or the wreck of a gentleman," was the reply. "You can call me Scott."

"And is this your child?"

"No, sir; daughter of my ex-partner, Mr. Joe Taylor. He was another wreck of a gentleman. She was motherless, and when he died a few weeks ago he left her in my charge. Couldn't refuse to take her, sir—no gentleman could. Very interesting young person; bound to make a lady if properly reared and educated. She'll be waking up directly, and then we'll thank you for a bite to eat."

It was bearding the lion in his den. After two or three minutes the men recovered from their feeling of astonishment, and then there was resentment at the cool and nervy way their camp had been invaded.

The man before them was ragged and unkempt, and dissipation was to be read in every line of his face, but yet instinct told them that he was not of their ilk.

No matter what he was now, he had one day been a gentleman. There were mutterings and threats, and presently Jim Agnew said:

"Say, I've heard of you! You are Scott, the gambler. You used to hang out at Red Hills."

"Your information is correct, sir. I used to be a gentleman. Then I was Scott, the gambler. At present I am Scott, the wreck of a gentleman and guardian of that child. Quite correct, sir."

"Hang your gentleman business!" shouted Jim as his temper began to boil up. "Say, boys, let's chip in and buy the kid. Mebbe she'll bring more luck than a humpback."

"Yes; let's buy the kid!" shouted half a dozen men in chorus.

"Gentlemen," said the gambler as he waved his hand toward the girl, who had been awakened by the shouts, "permit me to introduce Miss Ethel Taylor of Sydney, daughter of Mr. Joseph Taylor, deceased, ex-convict, gambler, sharper and bad 'un generally. In dying he left her in charge of his partner, the wreck of a gentleman, who has now been a day and a half without food, but who wouldn't sell out his trust for all the gold in Australia."

"You'd better take a walk!" exclaimed Agnew after a long look at the gambler.

"After the girl has eaten, sir," was the quiet reply.

"The girl stays here."

"Not unless I am dead."

The man Agnew backed off a few feet and pulled a revolver from his belt and raised his arm until the muzzle was on a line with the gambler's right eye. The arm rested there, and as his fingers curled around the trigger he said:

"I'll give you till I count five."

"My dear Ethel, good night and good-by," said Scott as he half turned and [illegible] his ragged cap to the girl.

[illegible] nor call out. Agman before him if he did not move off, but after his words to the girl his arm slowly fell. There was silence for a minute, and then the boss of the gang said:

"Cuss me, but you've got nerve! Sit down with the gal and fill up."

It was accounted a strange thing with the "rushers" to see little girl among that band of "bad 'uns," each taking turn and turn about to carry her on his back, and both guardian and ward found themselves among friends.

Indeed before the new diggings were reached Jim Agnew and Scott were accounted "partners." It was stranger yet that little Ethel had a liking for Jim.

At Woona Walla the child shared the tent or shanty with the two men. Child though she was, Scott treated her with almost as much formality as if she had been a girl of 20.

Agnew treated her as a child, and, though his ways were rough and his speech shocked her at times, he won her heart more than the other.

Disappointment awaited hundreds of the rushers to Woona Walla. One night, tired and discouraged, the two men sat smoking their pipes in silence for an hour, while the child played about or watched them and wondered if they had quarreled. By and by Scott looked up quietly and said:

"Jim, we are downed here."

"For sure," was the reply.

"Let's move on."

"Where?"

"Up the creek, down, over the hills, anywhere for her sake. I'm down to stay down, and the end is not far away, but I'd like to make a stake for her."

In the gray of the morning they took their way over the hills, one carrying the packs and the other the girl. Fifty miles away, on the banks of Brawling creek, they made a camp and two hours later were prospecting for gold.

They found sufficient to encourage them to persevere, but not in quantities to rejoice over. On the third day the men left the girl asleep and moved farther down the creek.

She awoke and went searching for them up stream. She had walked for a quarter of a mile, calling as she went, when in trying to clamber up a bank she caught at and uprooted a bush.

With the dirt and stones a nugget of gold rolled down into the stream and lay there like a spot of sunshine. An hour later Scott threw down his pick and said:

"Jim, it's the richest spot on the face of the globe. There'll be a rush here, of course, but we'll have our claims entered first. I'll start for Woona Walla within half an hour.

In 30 minutes he was on his way over the hills, and in three days he was back again. It would have been no use to try to hide the new find. He had to state its location in order to file his claim, and the very official who made good his papers was at his heels as he made his way back to camp.

"I've got it," he said to his partner after picking up the girl and kissing her. "Here it is—the 'Ethel claim.' There'll be enough for both of you—aye, enough to make a dozen men rich!"

After supper that night the child climbed upon Scott's knee, and he stroked her hair until she fell asleep. For a long time after he had gently laid her down there was silence between the two men. He was the first to break it by saying:

"Jim, the girl is to go back to Sydney and be brought up a lady."

"Yes," replied Jim.

"Deal square with her and give her half."

"For sure, but where do you come in?"

Scott sat in the door of the shanty, with his face upturned to the full moon. It was three or four minutes before he replied:

"Jim, you can't understand."

"But we've got gold—barrels of gold!"

"And I'm an old man—a drunkard, a gambler, a swindler, a wreck. Money could only bring new vices—new degradations. Can you understand?"

"No, hanged if I can!"

"But you were not born and reared a gentleman. I wanted to make a stake for the girl. I've made it."

"And now what?" asked Jim.

Scott knelt down beside the sleeping child and kissed her. When he arose, he held out his hand to his partner and said:

"Goodby, old man; give her a square divide."

"And you—you"—

"Hush! Don't wake her!"

He passed out into the moonlight and up to the creek. Next morning they found his dead body half a mile beyond the last campfire.

"Yes, he was my partner," said Jim as they called him to look at the dead man.

"And why did he kill himself?"

"Because he couldn't forget that he was once a gentleman."—Philadelphia Press.

Strange Life In Argentina.

Professor Lawrence Bruner, who spent the year 1898 investigating the grasshopper plague in Argentina, says that only Australia could match Argentina in the singularity of its life forms. It is a country where everything protects itself. "The trees have thorns, the grasses and weeds are provided with thorns and sharp blades and herbaceous plants are shielded with burs." Forests exist where rains are scarcest, and natives say that sometimes when heavy rains fall the trees die from too much moisture. Some birds, belonging to the same order as our waterfowl, avoid water. Many Argentina birds possess spurs on their wings.

Accommodating.

"If I give you a slice of bread, will you eat the crust?"

"Yas'm. An ef you gimme piece of cheese, ma'am, I'll eat de rind."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Snake Charmers.

It is generally supposed that the serpents exhibited by snake charmers have been deprived of their fangs, and this is doubtless often the case, while one instance at least is recorded in which the mouth of the snake had been sewed together to prevent it from biting.

The writer noticed at the Ceylon exhibition, given some years ago in London, that one of the snake charmers, finding the cobra he was exhibiting becoming too lively and aggressive, seized the reptile by the neck and thrust it hastily into the small round basket in which it was carried, at the same time pushing it with a voluminous white cloth, at which it bit savagely. Having almost closed the lid of the basket, the man drew away the cloth violently, thus doubtless dragging out the fangs which were fastened in it. He then secured the basket and carried it away. This, of course, required a large amount of cool courage as well as great quickness of hand and eye, all of which qualities must be doubly necessary in capturing and taming these deadly reptiles.

But if we are astonished at the skill and dexterity displayed by Indian snake charmers, still more must we marvel at the hardihood of the American Indians, who, in their snake dances not only handle the deadly rattlesnake with impunity, but absolutely carry it about in their mouths.—Westminster Review.

Theater Tickets.

The fact that a ticket bought for a theater and not used on the date stamped on it is always good for an admittance is not generally known and probably theater managers would take very little trouble to spread knowledge of the fact, but it is nevertheless true.

"A man who buys a reserved seat for a theater," said a theater treasurer who handles more tickets every season than any other in New York, "may not use it on the evening for which he bought it. 'Good for this date only' may be stamped on the pasteboard. That would seem to mean that the ticket could be used at no other time. Probably most of the public accept that as proving the impossibility of making use of the ticket, and therefore few make any attempt to get the worth of their money when they are prevented by any cause from using the ticket on the date marked on it. But it could be presented at any time and would be good for an admission.

"Any theater manager would have to recognize the holder's right to enter the theater, although that would, of course, carry with it no right to the seat. It is that right which is limited by the printed date. For all other purposes the ticket is quite as good as if used on the date it bears."—New York Sun.

Reckless Extravagance.

Senator Hoar is not a stingy man, but he looks out for the pennies. He was riding on a street car one day, relates a Washington correspondent, and had just completed a transaction with the conductor involving the payment of a quarter of a dollar for six car tickets—4 1-6 cents a ticket—when an acquaintance got on board and took the seat next to him. The acquaintance handed the conductor a nickel and turned to open up a conversation with the Massachusetts senator. The senator fidgeted in his seat a minute and then broke in with the remark, "I am glad to see that you are prosperous."

"Prosperous!" exclaimed the other man. "Why, I am poor as a church mouse!"

"Excuse me; I thought you must be rich. I am comfortably well off myself, but I have never felt that I could afford to pay 5 cents for a ride in a street car when I could get six rides for a quarter."

Disguised.

Wiggins—Whose umbrella is this? It looks like the one I lost.

Higgins—I don't see how it can, for I scraped the handle and altered it generally.—Ohio State Journal.

Children are sometimes told, when they are bad, that ghosts and other dreadful things will get them. Grown-up people know better, but it would be a good thing if women could be made to understand that terrible results will follow neglect of any ailment that comes under the general head of



"female troubles." A pain in the side, or back, a disagreeable drain, a bearing-down sensation, headache, nervousness, weakness in the distinctly feminine organs, bad complexion and loss of flesh are forerunners of final collapse. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a specific for weak women. *It cures.* In a great majority of cases the patient can treat herself at home, and obnoxious local examinations can be avoided. In a few bad cases it is wise for the sufferers to write to Dr. R. V. Pierce himself, at Buffalo, N. Y., and he will give full advice by mail *free.* He is consulted daily by great numbers of women throughout the world, and his advice is founded upon wide-spread experience. All correspondence is treated by him as *sacredly* confidential. His "Favorite Prescription" is non-alcoholic, and does not create a craving for strong drink. It contains no opium or other narcotic. It is perfectly harmless in any condition of the system. No medicine is equal to it in any respect for diseases of women. Therefore, accept no substitute for this world-famed remedy, though it be urged upon you as being "just as good."

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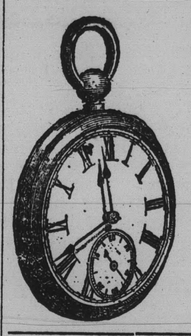
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SONOMA, MARCH 10, 1900.

H. H. GRANICE - - - - - - - - - - - - EDITOR

The Outing Season.

THE outing season for the residents of San Francisco, Alameda and Oakland is now near at hand. Anticipating an early rush to the country, which promises to be far greater the coming spring and summer months than ever before, the California Northwestern Railway Company has generously volunteered to find accommodations for those visitors who prefer to sojourn on a farm or in some little home in the country. With this object in view the railway people have prepared blanks, which can be secured from any of their agents, for the use of those who desire to receive summer boarders no matter how few in number. These blanks must be filled out and sent to R. X. Ryan, General Passenger Agent, San Francisco, before April 1st.

There are many pleasant homes in this town and valley which can conveniently accommodate from two to six guests, and we would advise all those who can conveniently do so to take summer boarders.

An influx of city visitors will not only advertise the valley but will also bring a whole lot of money into our midst and make things lively. The people of Sonoma have been living off each other long enough. Now here is a chance to live off somebody else, and what is more, the California Northwestern will help us out on the proposition.

THE opponents of water are again resorting to misrepresentation in their efforts to prevent public improvements. The constitutional liar, who is doing most of the talking against the water proposition, is telling around on the sly that if the bond election carries every owner or renter of a house will be compelled to take water from the city. It is needless to add that this is silly twaddle. Any man of ordinary sense knows that no one can be compelled to take water from the city. It were just as reasonable to assume that the City Trustees could compel the people of this town to do anything. If the anti-water advocates can't spring something better than this they ought to go off and die.

NEVER in the history of Sonoma Valley has feed been so plentiful for stock during the winter months. All through November, December, January and February the valley and surrounding mountains have been carpeted in green. In consequence our dairymen have been reaping a rich golden harvest, as prices for all kinds of dairy produce have been exceptionally good this season.

THE coming bond election will decide whether or not this town is to be run in the interests of the few as against the many. A vote for water means a vote for public improvements, protection from fire and pestilence and the progress of Sonoma. A vote against the bond proposition means no water, higher rates of insurance, no public improvements and a dead town. Now, how are you going to vote?

THE Calaveras grove of big trees are safe from the vandalism of the woodman's ax. The Congress has passed a measure providing for their purchase by the Government and they will now form a part of a national park of which they will be the main attraction.

IF you want to make work for the working man and business for the business man and help your town along support the water proposition.

COUNTY NEWS ITEMS.

There is $223,004.86 in the county treasury.

T. B. De Carley, a prominent Swiss resident of Duncans Mills died at his home in that place Tuesday morning.

County Clerk Fulton, after an absence of two weeks in Southern California, has returned to his home in Santa Rosa and is on deck again in the Sonoma County Court House.

In Cloverdale last Sunday Frank Murphy was stabbed in nine places by his brother Wesley Murphy. The injured man is not thought to be mortally wounded. The knife-wielder has been released on $1000 bail.

H. A. Wheeler has sued J. Lancaster of Fisk's Mills for $5,000 damages. Plaintiff alleges that while working for defendant he was given a fractious team to drive, but that his employer failed to inform him of the fact. A runaway, a smash-up and a broken leg were the result. Hence the suit, which has been on trial this week in Judge Burnett's court.

Mrs. Ida Wilcox was assaulted with a stick of wood by her husband, near Lytton Springs, Wednesday, and beaten into insensibility. After committing the deed Wilcox fled and it is thought he jumped into the Russian river and committed suicide. It is said that Mrs. Wilcox will die. Jealousy was the cause of the murderous assault as the woman had refused to live with her husband.

S. T. Coulter was very seriously injured at his mountain ranch near Santa Rosa on Sunday. He does not know just how the accident occurred. He was leading two horses to pasture and had stopped to fix a gate. This is the last thing he remembers. Later he was found by a friend lying across a log near the gate. One of the horses must have kicked him. There was a terrible wound on the face, and he was bruised about the legs and portions of his body.

Carlo Bronzini, a young Swiss of Ignacio, committed suicide at that place Monday by shooting, says the Petaluma *Courier*. He was hunting blackbirds on the Mattoni ranch. After firing one shot at a flock of birds Bronzini sat down and shouted to parties near by that he was going to commit suicide. The next moment the man shot himself in the abdomen and died almost instantly. No reason can be assigned for the suicide, and his friends assert that it was an accident. He was single, twenty-two years of age, and had been in this country about three years.

J. H. Reed of Santa Rosa met with a horrible accident in that city Sunday. He had been ill for several months, but was able to be about his home. He was sitting before the fire in the living room of his residence when he suddenly fell forward unconscious on the red-hot stove. He was discovered by his wife, who was absent from the room when the accident occurred but who fortunately returned a few minutes afterward. Mr. Reed was pulled off the stove by his wife, but not before his nose had been burned almost off and his face terribly disfigured. His injuries may prove fatal.

New Advertisers.

If you desire to take boarders from the city this summer do not fail to secure one of the California Northwestern Railway Company's blanks from their station agents. For further particulars read adv. which appears in another column.

Will Steuben, who has recently opened a jewelry store in the Adler building, announces in these columns that he will repair watches, jewelry and clocks and guarantee satisfaction. He can also sell you anything in the jewelry line. Encourage home industry by giving him your patronage.

The City Saloon has changed hands, F. Clerici having sold out to Rio Pianetti. The new owner is well and favorably known to the Italian and Swiss residents of this valley. See his advertisement which appears on the second page.

If you want a good, durable and reliable wheel buy a Cleveland from Wm. Clewe, who is the local agent for the American Bicycle Company of San Francisco. These wheels have always given satisfaction, as can be testified to by many people in this valley who have been riding them for a number of years. See adv. in another column.

SPEEDY TRAIN SERVICE.

The California Northwestern to Annihilate Time Between the Country and San Francisco.

The California Northwestern Railway Company, acting on a suggestion made in the INDEX-TRIBUNE last month, will put on a fast train service on its main and branch lines the coming summer. The object of this improved train service is to afford rapid transit to and from the metropolis and thus make Sonoma as well as Marin county a suburb of San Francisco.

The lightning train will be composed of the best rolling stock on the road. The Sonoma Valley Branch will connect with this train at Ignacio, which will carry no mail or express. A milk train will run in the afternoon and evening and will pick up the milk at all stations together with passengers, baggage and express matter, which at present is handled by the regular passenger train.

For the fast train service the steamer James M. Donahue, the speediest boat on the bay will be completely overhauled and equipped with new boilers and low pressure engines.

The new service will be inaugurated in about two months.

Hotel at El Verano.

John Lounibos' fine brick hotel in El Verano is now ready for occupancy. The building has been newly painted and otherwise improved and is one of the attractive edifices of Sonoma Valley. Parties who desire to open a summer resort in one of the most picturesque parts of the valley would do well to address the owner at Agua Caliente, as the building is now awaiting a tenant.

Work and vote for water. It is now or never.

Help... Nature

Babies and children need proper food, rarely ever medicine. If they do not thrive on their food something is wrong. They need a little help to get their digestive machinery working properly.

SCOTT'S EMULSION OF COD LIVER OIL WITH HYPOPHOSPHITES OF LIME & SODA

will generally correct this difficulty.

If you will put from one-fourth to half a teaspoonful in baby's bottle three or four times a day you will soon see a marked improvement. For larger children, from half to a teaspoonful, according to age, dissolved in their milk, if you so desire, will very soon show its great nourishing power. If the mother's milk does not nourish the baby, she needs the emulsion. It will show an effect at once both upon mother and child.

50c. and $1.00, all druggists.
SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, New York.

Painful Accident.

Frederick, the five-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Duhring, met with a painful accident Thursday afternoon. While playing in front of his home he stumbled and fell off the porch, striking the ground with considerable force. A deep gash was cut in his forehead from which the blood flowed copiously. Dr. Rich took several stitches in the wound, which it is thought will not disfigure the little fellow.

IS THIS YOUR STORY?

"Every morning I have a bad taste in my mouth; my tongue is coated; my head aches and I often feel dizzy. I have no appetite for breakfast and what food I eat distresses me. I have a heavy feeling in my stomach. I am getting so weak that sometimes I tremble and my nerves are all unstrung. I am getting pale and thin. I am as tired in the morning as at night."

What does your doctor say?

"You are suffering from impure blood."

What is his remedy?

Ayer's Sarsaparilla

You must not have constipated bowels if you expect the Sarsaparilla to do its best work. But Ayer's Pills cure constipation.

We have a book on Paleness and Weakness which you may have for the asking.

Write to our Doctors.

Perhaps you would like to consult eminent physicians about your condition. Write us freely all the particulars in your case. You will receive a prompt reply.

Address, DR. J. C. AYER, Lowell, Mass.

SUPERIOR COURT NOTES.

In Judge Dougherty's department of the Superior Court on Monday the will of John H. Bailey was admitted to probate and Mary B. McNally was appointed executrix in a bond of $3000.

Emma S. Williams was named the administratrix on the estate of Mary E. Spencer in a bond of $2400. Jacob Archambeau was appointed administrator on the estate of Annie Archambeau, in a bond of $50.

A decree terminating life estate was made in the matter of the estate of Catherine Johnson.

The resignation of Thomas Hopper as executor of the estate of the late Thomas C. Schlosser was accepted and he will be discharged upon the presentation of receipts from his successor. The matter of distribution of the estate was continued to March 12th.

A sale of real estate was confirmed in the estate of Magdalena Gryff.

The final account was settled and distribution was ordered of the estate of Edward L. Passmore.

An order was made to sell real estate of the late Nancy F. Williams.

An order to sell personal property was granted in the estate of the Urban minors.

M. Giacomini was appointed guardian of the estate of Albert Soldate in a bond of $1500.

An order was made allowing the administrator of the estate of the late Sarah Bailey to improve the cemetery lot and to erect a monument over Mrs. Bailey's last resting place in Santa Rosa at a cost not to exceed $500.

A similar order to that in the Bailey estate was made in the matter of the estate of Gustaf de Bruyne, the administrator being allowed to expend $300.

Attorney E. C. Barham was allowed $25 fees for representing absent heirs in the estate of Lewis Hendrix and a fee of $10 in the es- of Carlo Cavalli.

The matter of the estate of W. H. Kruse was continued to March 12th.

The demurrer was withdrawn in the action of Thompson vs. Griffith and two days were allowed to answer.

The trial of the action of Bacigalupi vs. Pinelli was set for March 27th.

Theodosi Payton was granted a divorce faom Jere B. Payton.

Civil matters continued: California Wine Makers' Corporation vs. F. Schmidt, Reed vs. Flood, Gerber vs. Pratt, all to March 13th.

Louis Ausseresses was admitted to citizenship.

In Judge Burnett's department the action of Frank P. Wickersham against Fred A. Wickersham and others was set for trial on March 28th and the contest of the will of Lydia C. Wickersham was set for trial on March 27th.

These matters were continued: W. J. Johnson vs. C. N.W. R.R. Co. Co. to March 19th; Charles Martin vs. Julia Barry to March 12th; S. B Wright et al. vs. Richard Hall to March 12th.

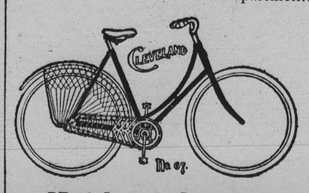
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SAN FRANCISCO.

San Francisco Branch,
Lozier Sales Department.



Not how cheap but how Good,

Cheapness has never been characteristic of CLEVELAND BICYCLES, for they have always found plenty of buyers with decernment enough to know when they get their money's worth.

Prices ranging from $25 to $75,
Including a Bevel Gear Chainless.

BARGAINS IN LAST YEAR'S MODELS.

AMERICAN BICYCLE COMPANY,
Lozier Sales Dept.,
San Francisco, Cal.

WILL CLEWE,
Local Agent for Sonoma.
Send for Catalog. m10 7m

Hotel to Let at El Verano.

A fine large brick hotel in El Verano, Apply to the owner

JOHN LOUNIBOS,
Agua Caiiente.

CITY SALOON,

NAPA ST., SONOMA.

PIO PIANETTI, Proprietor.

Best Brands of Wines, Liquors and Cigars.

Having recently purchased the above saloon, I most respectfully solicit a share of the public patronage.

Situation Wanted.

By a first-class ranch hand. Well up in all kinds of ranch work. Understands horses, all kinds of farm machinery, pruning, etc. Best of references given as to experience, sobriety and industry. For further particulars apply at this office. 1m

The Place To Trade

HEMENWAY & McALLISTER
GROCERS
McNear's Building, Lower Main st.
Petaluma.

Dissolution of Co-Partnership.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing between J. G. Marcy and J. J. Dunbar, under the firm name and style of Marcy & Dunbar, Sonoma, California, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent, J. G. Marcy, retiring.

The business of the late firm will be continued by J. J. Dunbar, who assumes all obligations and collects all outstanding accounts and who most respectfully solicits a continuation of the patronage bestowed upon the late firm.

J. G. MARCY.
J. J. DUNBAR.
Sonoma, California, January 30th 1900.

CANDIDATES CARDS.

FOR CITY CLERK.

J. H. SEIPP

ANNOUNCES HIMSELF AS A CANdidate for CITY CLERK of Sonoma at the municipal election to be held on Monday, April 9th, 1900.

FOR CITY MARSHAL

JAS. H. ALBERTSON

(Present Incumbent.)

ANNOUNCES HIMSELF AS A CANdidate for City Marshal of So... at the municipal election to ... Monday, April 9th, 19...

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California Northwestern Railway.

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MUTUAL LIFE BUILDING,
Cor. California and Sansome sts., San Francisco, Cal

TO THE PEOPLE OF
Marin, Sonoma, Lake and Mendocino Counties:

It is surprising the number of people we meet in cities who would like to go to the country every year if they could only locate themselves agreeably. They do not care for a regular resort where it is *dress, dress.* The large majority have neither relatives nor personal friends in the country, and even if they did, feel that a visit of the whole family would be rather an imposition. These people are continually wishing to visit some farm, some little home in the country where they can be at ease, free from fashion's restraints, enjoy good country meals, roam at will and sleep in a nice, clean bed. During the last few years quite a number were guests at our farms and town homes in Marin, Sonoma, Lake and Mendocino Counties, and we may add, that in general, the financial results to our people were most gratifying.

As far as can be judged, the demand this year for accommodations will be greater than in the past, and we would respectfully ask *all those who desire to receive Summer Boarders* to advise us, so we can put their names on our list. Even if a party can accommdate but two, three or four persons, let us know, as some like to be where there are no other boarders.

We have prepared a blank to be filled up, calling for the information necessary in our advertising. This can be procured from our Agents or from us direct. Please send in early, as our advertising matter must necessarily be ready by April 1st.

R. X. RYAN,
Gen'l Passenger Agent.
San Francisco, March 1, 1900.

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DUHRING'S

It is 45 years this month since this business was established. It is the OLD AND RELIABLE STORE of Sonoma. We claim to sell the

Best Goods for the Least Money

And will allow no one to undersell us. Our customers are guaranteed the Lowest Prices.

DUHRING'S

Slaughtered Prices

IN CHILDRENS' GRAY HOISERY.

We have a few sizes left in Gray Hoisery which are now selling at a sacrifice. The old price was 25cts, but you can now have them for

12½c per Pair.

It may be a cold day, but a "Warm Bargain" is what you will say of these long ...nes at short prices. . .

G. H. HOTZ.

This Month Take Hood's Sarsaparilla

And have new pure and bright blood. Then you will enjoy life.

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SONOMA, MARCH 10, 1900.

WEATHER AND CROPS.

U. S. Signal Observer Hall's Report.

Local U. S. Signal Observer Robt. Hall, under date of March 8th, reports that the rain which began falling Saturday has continued at intervals throughout the past five days. Ending Thursday morning the total for the storm is 2.55 inches and for the season 23.69. Same time last year 11.95. The heaviest downpour was Wednesday night. About sunset the wind freshened from the south and increased to a gale with a velocity of forty miles per hour before midnight, followed by a steady rain of 1.14 inches that fell before daylight. The Sonoma creek and its tributaries are now booming. The ground is completely saturated. While we had considerable moisture, and the rain was not needed in our valley, it will undoubtedly benefit late sown grain and pasture.

Almonds are beyond the danger point from frost. Apricots and peaches are beginning to leaf out. Cherry, apple and pear buds are swelling fast and many varieties of plums are in bloom, also early and late peaches. With a week of sunshine and warm dry weather, apples, pears, cherries, prunes and quinces in bloom, the orchards will look beautiful.

The fruit crop if not injured by frost will be immense. While pruning and plowing will be delayed for several days these bountiful late rains gladden the hearts of the farmers and business men, for it means prosperity.

BREVITIES.

Subscribe for the INDEX-TRIBUNE Daily Examiner and Index-Tribune, $8.80 per year.

For harnesses go to Chas. Wilson, Main street, Petaluma. You will save money. *

Good second-hand buggies, carts and incubators. Gutermute's, 804 Main St., Petaluma. *

For a nice new buggy, surry or farm wagon at bed rock prices call on Robinson & Farrell, Main St., Petaluma. *

Shoults' new drug store is one of the neatest and most attractive business houses in the town and a credit to Sonoma.

Chas. H. Wilson, Main street, Petaluma, dealer in harness, whips buggy robes, etc. When in Petaluma give him a call. *

The grain on the Jones ranch at McGills is making a remarkable growth. The crop will be the heaviest ever produced in this county.

Chas. Wilson, Harness Maker, carries a full line of robes, whips, blankets and everything for horsemen. Repairing a specialty. Main street, Petaluma. *

Wanted—In Petaluma. A good reliable girl or woman for housework and cooking in small family. If a good cook wages $20 month. Apply at this office or Mrs. C. B. Luff, 409 Seventh street, Petaluma, Cal.

Apricots and peach trees are in full bloom. With favorable weather in March and April there will be a heavy fruit crop in this valley, but until the season is further advanced nothing definite can be predicted in regard to either the fruit or grape crop. It all depends upon the vagaries of Jack Frost.

Frank Weems has been engaged by a number of retail merchants in this place and Glen Ellen under a salary as a buyer from the wholesalers of San Francisco. He will open an office in that city next week. As a starter he will represent ten stores in this valley—three in Glen Ellen and seven in this place.

F. T. Duhring has made many improvements in his large and handsome store the past two weeks. An immense quantity of new shelving has been put in to accommodate the large stock of goods which he intends to carry in future. Messrs. Bailey and Bulotti, the house painters, have been busy the past few days in giving the interior of the store a new coat of paint.

We have saved many doctor bills since we began using Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in our home. We keep a bottle open all the time and whenever any of my family or myself begin to catch cold we begin to use the Cough Remedy, and as a result we never have to send away for a doctor and incur a large doctor bill, for Chamberlain's Cough Remedy never fails to cure. It is certainly a medicine of great merit and worth.—D. S. MEARKLE, General Merchant and Farmer, Mattie, Bedford county, Pa. For sale by F. Duhring. *

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

REMARKABLE SURGICAL OPERATION.

Howard Munfrey Has Four Pieces of Skull Removed that Were Pressing on His Brain.

Howard Munfrey of this place, returned to his home from San Francisco Tuesday. A little over two months ago he entered Dr. Lane's Hospital in that city for the purpose of undergoing a very difficult and dangerous surgical operation.

For a number of years he had been a sufferer from epileptic fits and Dr. Lane determined to remove the cause. The day after Christmas young Munfrey was placed on the operating table of the hospital and put under the influence of chloroform. Dr. Lane, assisted by two other surgeons, then went to work with delicate surgical instruments and removed four circular pieces of skull the size of ten cent pieces which were found to be pressing on the brain. The operation was successfully performed and the patient left the hospital a short time ago and it is thought he has been permanently cured. The circular holes that were made in the skull by the operation—two on each side of the head directly over the brain—are now covered over with a thin growth of cuticle and the wounds are healing nicely. Mr. Munfrey has the four pieces of skull in his possession and exhibits them as proof of a very remarkable and up-to-date surgical operation. He is apparently in the enjoyment of good health and can be seen on our streets every day.

Meeting of City Trustees.

A regular meeting of the City Trustees was held Wednesday evening. All the members were present with the exception of Trustee Davis, who is still confined to his residence with a severe spell of sickness.

Clerk Poppe read the minutes of the last regular meeting, which stood approved as read.

The following bills were then allowed and ordered paid:

A. Astill, electric light for February	$51.00
J. H. Albertson, services	15.00
Total	$66.00

Clerk Poppe reported $819.52 in the City Treasury.

Tax Collector Albertson reported that the city taxes for the fiscal year just passed had been collected to a cent and that there were no delinquents.

Warrants were ordered drawn to pay for ballot paper received from the Secretary of State and for express charges on the same.

Trustee Seipp brought up the question of the city printing and stated that the time had arrived for advertising for bids to do the same for another year.

On motion of Trustee Hotz, seconded by Trustee Harris, the Clerk was instructed to write out the advertisement and have it published according to law.

The Street Committee was authorized to have the streets graveled where needed.

The Board then adjourned to meet in special session on Thursday evening, March 15th, at 8 o'clock sharp.

For City Clerk.

J. H. Seipp announces himself in another column as a candidate for City Clerk at the municipal election to be held in this place on Monday, April 9th. Mr. Seipp has been a member of the Board of City Trustees the past four years, two of which he served as President. Mr. Seipp as a working man has sacrificed much valuable time the past four years in gratuitously serving this city as Trustee. He is a strong water advocate and one of Sonoma's most popular citizens. Mr. Seipp is in every way fitted to fill the position he seeks.

Creamery for El Laurel.

Geo. W. Rodehaver of El Laurel went to San Francisco, one day this week for the purpose of purchasing machinery for his new creamery, which will be immediately set up. Mr. Rodehaver has many fine milch cows on his ranch and with the product of these together with that of a large number of milch cows on adjoining ranches be expects to turn out large quantities of butter this spring.

Off for the East.

Carl Dresel, the well-known viticulturist, left for New York and other eastern cities last Tuesday morning. Mr. Dresel's visit to the east is for the purpose of extending the market for his wines, which are rapidly winning a reputation for their excellence in Chicago, New York and other large cities. Mr. Dresel will be absent several months.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.

Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE TABLETS. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE's signature on every box .25c

FARMERS' INSTITUTE IN GLEN ELLEN.

An Interesting Program—Afternoon Session to be Held at the California Home.

Great interest is being manifested by the people of Sonoma Valley in the forthcoming Farmers' Institute which will be held in Glen Ellen on Wednesday, March 21st, and a large number of visitors will be present from all over the valley. The morning and evening sessions of the Institute will be held in Mervyn Hall.

At the conclusion of the morning session those who attend the Institute will be entertained with a luncheon by Dr. and Mrs. Osborne at the California Home, Eldridge, where the afternoon session will be held.

The evening session in Mervyn Hall will be followed by a social hop.

The following is the day's program:

MORNING SESSION—10 A. M., MERVYN HALL.

1. Music.
2. Address by the President.....R. G. Sutherland
3. Utility of Farmers' Organizations.....Prof. D. T. Fowler
4. Song.....Miss Pearl Ogan
5. Bee Culture.....S. A. Woods
6. Vine Culture and Resistant Stock.....Prof. A. P. Hayne
7. Farm Topics.....F. T. Duhring
8. Question Box.

AFTERNOON SESSION—2:30 P. M., AT THE CALIFORNIA HOME, ELDRIDGE.

1. Music
2. Citrus Culture...Prof. A. P. Hayne
3. Recitation.....Mrs. A. Cromwell
4. Olive Oil and its Uses.....Dr. A. E. Osborne
5. The Creamery...Prof. D. T. Fowler
6. Marketing Products.Thos. Johnson
7. Violin Solo.....Prof. H. Shieck
8. Question Box.

EVENING SESSION — 7:30 O'CLOCK, MERVYN HALL.

1. Music.
2. Beet Culture..Miss Blanche Smith
3. Instrumental Solo....E. M. Gender
4. Orchard Topics..Prof. D. T. Fowler
5. Recitation.....Miss Eva Ping
6. Why Our Products Spoil.....Prof. A. P. Hayne
7. Piano Solo.....Prof D'Arcy
8. Question Box.

The committee having the arrangements of the Institute in hand is composed of Messrs. R. G. Sutherland, C. A. Kennedy and Chas. J. Poppe.

Off for Merrie England and the Fatherland.

Dr. W. K. Vance and wife, formerly of Sonoma, now of San Francisco, have bespoken accomodations on the North German Lloyd liner, the Bremen, sailing July 5th, from New York. The doctor re-visits his relatives in England, and Mrs. Vance will enjoy a tour in her ancestral Fatherland. Dr. Vance will also attend the International Medical Congress in Paris during August. The doctor, since engaging in the practice of medicine in the metropolis, has built up a lucrative practice and has earned a well-merited vacation. His many Sonoma friends wish himself and wife *bon voyage*.

Accident.

Tom Willett, while felling trees on his ranch near this place, one day last week, met with a painful accident. In attempting to jump across a deep gully he slipped and fell a distance of twelve or fifteen feet, badly spraining his back.

Artesian Water for El Verano.

S. Schocken has secured the contract for boring a ten-inch artesian well for John Lounibos' hotel at El Verano. Boring operations will be commenced as soon as the machinery can be got upon the ground.

Another Dog Poisoned.

Julius Poppe, Jr., lost his fine bird dog last Saturday. This makes about the tenth victim of the dog poisoner in this town the past two weeks.

Very Ill.

Frank Lay still lies very ill at his home in the mountains east of town. He is suffering from tumor in the stomach. He is under the care of Dr. Rich.

$100 Reward $100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of Testimonials.

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Hall's Family Pills are the best.

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PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Other Matters of Interest to the General Reader.

Items of a personal and social nature are thankfully received at this office.

Herman Laux transacted business in the metropolis Monday.

Rev. Father Quill visited San Rafael several days this week.

Alfred Faure of Alameda was a guest at the Robin home Sunday.

Claude Burlingame was the guest of Sonoma relatives Sunday.

Miss Gertie Lane of Glen Ellen spent Sunday with friends in this place.

Thos. Monahan of San Francisco transacted business in this place Sunday.

T. C. Ryland was a passenger on the south-bound train Monday morning.

T. Nicholson of the Bay City spent Sunday with his family in this place.

Adam Adler returned from a business trip to the metropolis Saturday evening.

Billy Kerner of the "O. K." made a business trip to San Francisco last Monday.

W. G. Benton, who is traveling for an eastern firm, visited his family here Sunday.

Will Clewe attended the birthday party of his friend Kurt Schluss, in San Francisco, last Saturday.

Adolph Robin is up from the city on a visit of a week or two with his sister Miss Pauline Robin.

Mrs. P. H. Vollmar came up from San Francisco last Tuesday and transacted business in this place.

A. A. Enke of the Union Hotel spent Saturday and Sunday with friends and relatives in the metropolis.

Clarence Cheney, salesman in Hotz's dry goods store, visited San Francisco relatives several days this week.

Capt. White of the California Home, Eldridge, returned from a pleasure trip to the metropolis Monday evening.

Geo. Gilbert and Chessie Smith came up from San Francisco last Saturday evening and spent Sunday with Sonoma friends.

Monsieurs J. Chauvet, John Lounibos and Henry Chauvet entertained E. K. Stevenot at the Nevada restaurant, San Francisco, Monday.

Jas. Morris, formerly of the Union Hotel, but who is now a full-fledged commercial traveler, returned to the metropolis Monday after a short sojourn in this place.

N. R. Hansen of Tiburon, well and favorably known all over this valley, will visit Sonoma as soon as the weather becomes settled and will remain here several weeks. Mr. Hanson's visit will be for the purpose of meeting many of his old friends. While here he will make daily visits to the Agua Rica Hot Mineral Springs bathing resort, as his health has not been the very best the past few months.

Harry Shelden and I. Gutte of Corta Madra, were in town last Sunday.

The Sonoma Valley Union High School will publish a paper to be issued monthly.

Henry Martens and C. J. Poppe were Glen Ellen visitors in this place Thursday.

G. Pacheco of Novato, Marin county, was the guest of Thos. Jones last Wednesday.

Mrs. S. Schocken came up from the city Tuesday evening for a week's sojourn in her Sonoma home.

Henry Bates, of the firm of Perkins & Bates, transacted business in San Francisco last Thursday.

Mrs. G. H. Hotz visited San Francisco last Saturday and purchased a fine line of spring millinery.

Henry Weber, our local butcher, returned from a business trip to the city on Friday evening of last week.

F. Poulson, the well-known horse shoer, who is employed in Fochetti's blacksmith shop, has moved his family from Napa to this place.

Miss C. Celeste Granice came up from the University of California last night and will spend a few days at her home "Morning Glory Villa."

Mrs. McCracken, mother of Mrs. Wm. Durrant, who was taken suddenly and seriously ill, two weeks ago, is reported to be much improved.

Jack Mallon, who clerked at the Vollmar Hotel, Embarcadero, two years ago, and who has a host of friends in this valley, is now in business for himself in San Francisco.

A little social life is good for one. As time goes on, and the old friends have gone to their promotion, it is well to keep up one's interest in the world of to-day by cultivating friendly relations with those about us, says the *Ladies Home Journal*.

Horace Appleton Jr. was the recipient of a sheet and pillow case surprise party last Saturday evening at the Appleton home on Broadway, the occasion being the anniversary of his eighteenth birthday. The following were present: Mr. and Mrs. Claude Burlingame, Mr. and Mrs. Benj Weed, Mrs. Haraszthy, Mr. and Mrs. H. Appleton, Misses Gertrude Lane, Claire Hope, Kate Morris, A. Richert, Lola Haraszthy, Natalia Haraszthy, Doris Clewe, Rena Yates, Katie McDonell, Elsie Appleton, Theo Bates, Zelma Johnson, Leo Schiller and Messrs. Carol Prunty, G. D. Rich, Skelton Glaister, Howard Knight, Harry Knight, Adam Adler, Frank McGill, Clarence Cheney, Bert Jones, Frank Weems, Ed. Morris, Hugh Maxwell, Steve Akers, H. W. Gottenberg, Milton McGimsey and A. Paulstine.

Still More Counterfeiting.

The Secret Service has just unearthed another band of counterfeiters in a suburb of New York City, and secured a large quantity of bogus $5 bills, which are so cleverly executed that the average person would never suspect them of being spurious. Things of great value are always selected by counterfeiters for imitation, notably the celebrated Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, which has many imitators, but no equals for common disorders like fever, ague, malaria, indigestion, dyspepsia, constipation, nervousness and general debility. The Bitters sets things right in the stomach and when the stomach is in good working order, it makes good blood and plenty of it. In this manner the Bitters get at the seat of strength and vitality, and restore vigor to the weak and debilitated. Beware of counterfeits when buying. Always go to reliable druggists who have the reputation of giving what you ask for.

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Ladies' Black Astrachan Capes, fur-trimmed. Regular $8.00, now $5.00.
Ladies' Black Beaver Jackets, silk-lined, 1899 style, sizes 32, 34 and 36. Worth $9.00. Special to clear out, $2.50.
Ladies' Wool Eiderdown Wrappers, Blue, Pink and Gray, worth $4.00. Special $2.50.
Ladies' Flannelette and Percale Wrappers reduced to 50c, 75c and 95c.
Ladies' Tennis Flannel Night Gowns, to clean out 50c, 85c and 95c.
Ladies' Dress Skirts, nearly all black, all prices- to clear out goods that are worth from $2.50 to $3.50, now $1.89. Skirts worth $4.00 to $5.00 now $2.99.
Ladies' Woolen Waists, with fitted linings, all reduced. We have Red, Navy Brown and Black. Special to clear out, $1.00, $1.75 and $2.50.
Men's White Shirts with Colored Bosoms, sizes 16, 16½ and 17 only, special to clear out 25c each.
Misses' and Ladies Drab Corsets, just a few left, want to clear out, special 25c per pair.
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Dame rumor has it that another one of Sonoma's fair daughters will shortly be led to the altar by a prominent young professional man of this place.

V. Bulotti has purchased from Ferdinand Bulotti his entire interest in the firm of V. & F. Bulotti, consisting of real estate in this place and the wine cellar and other improvements on the same.

Right Rev. Wm. H. Moreland, Episcopal bishop of the Northern Diocese of California, assisted by Rev. John Partridge of Petaluma, will hold services at the Methodist Church, Sonoma, on Sunday, March 18th, at 3 P. M. All are cordially invited to attend.

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A. R. De Fluent, editor of the *Journal*, Doylestown, Ohio, suffered for a number of years from rheumatism in his right shoulder and side. He says: "My right arm at times was entirely useless. I tried Chamberlain's Pain Balm, and was surprised to receive relief almost immediately. The Pain Balm has been a constant companion of mine ever since and it never fails." For sale by F. Duhring. *

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SONOMA, SATURDAY, MARCH 10, 1900

FACTS ABOUT SARDINES.

The Greater Part of This Country's Consumption Now Packed Here.

Formerly the sardines consumed in this country were all imported from France. Now about three-quarters of the sardines eaten in the United States are put up here, the chief center of the sardine industry in the United States being the eastern coast of Maine, though some sardines are now put up on the coast of California. The packing of sardines in this country was begun about 1886.

Thousands of people now find employment in one part and another of the work in catching fish, in making cans and in canning and packing and marketing and so on.

Sardines are put up in greater variety than formely, there being nowadays sardines packed in tomato sauce, sardines in mustard, spiced sardines and so on, but the great bulk of sardines, both imported and domestic, are still put up in oil. Sardines are put up also in a greater variety of packages than formerly, there being, for example, various sizes and shapes of oval tins, and some Franch sardines are imported in glass, but as the great bulk of all sardines are still put up in oil, so the great bulk of them are still put up in the familiar flat boxes, the great majority of these being of the sizes known as halves and quarters and far the greater number of these being in quarters. Sardines are packed 100 tins in a case, and the consumption of sardines in this country is roughly estimated at from 1,500,000 to 2,000,000 cases annually.

Like canned goods of every description, sardines are cheaper now than they formerly were, and American sardines are sold for less than the imported. American sardines are now exported from this country to the West Indies and to South America.—New York Sun.

CHOCOLATE FIENDS.

There Are Those Who Become Slaves to This Nerve Soothing Food.

"The manufacture of chocolate," said J. R. Anso of Brazil, "is a great industry. Of all the chocolate beans imported into the United States two-thirds go to one firm in Boston, and the other third is distributed among the other manufacturers. The chocolates sold are of various grades. The Caracas chocolate is supposed to be the best.

"If you take the various grades, technically known as the Caracas, the French, the German and so on, and take a piece of each and place them in a pan of water and allow them to dissolve, any expert will tell you which is the best chocolate. The better grades will leave no sediment. The others will. This is explained by the fact that in the cheaper grades the shell is ground up and used as a 'filler.' The lighter the chocolate the better the grade. The cheaper grades are dark owing to the ground up shell.

"It is a queer thing about chocolate consumption. There are chocolate fiends, just as there are opium fiends, tobacco slaves and liquor slaves. I cannot tell you why it is, but if people begin to eat chocolate the habit grows upon them. I don't think any amount of chocolate hurts any person. Of course the cheaper grades of chocolate have a large percentage of sugar in them, and sugar is to a certain extent injurious, but for the chocolate itself I don't think any one eats enough to hurt him materially. In contradistinction to the exhilaration of alcoholic drinks chocolate seems to be a soother. Persons who are nervous and irritable find it a food that in a way calms and soothes and satisfies them. It is queer, but it is the truth. The consumption of chocolate is increasing enormously in the United States."—New York Tribune.

Artificial Diamonds.

It is well known that in the manufacture of carbon steel microscopic diamonds are formed, and the curious fact is stated by The Scientific Press that from the examination of a number of steels from a variety of processes identical results were given. A piece weighing 300 grams was cut from a lump of steel and treated with nitric acid, the insoluble residue collected being mainly graphic carbon. After being washed with water it was boiled three times with fuming nitric acid, which partially dissolved the residue, hydrofluoric acid and then fuming sulphuric being used, there then remaining nothing but graphite, which, after being washed, was melted with chlorate of potash. The insoluble residue obtained fell to the bottom of a vessel filled with iodide of methylene, the little transparent octahedrons visible through a microscope, which burned on a sheet of platinum without any ash, being the diamonds.

The Thistle of Scotland.

Once upon a time many hundred years ago the Danes made war upon the Scots and invaded their country. One dark night, as they were marching upon an encampment of sleeping Scots, one of their number trod upon a thistle. The pain was so sudden and intense that the man gave a loud cry. This awakened the slumbering Scots, who sprang to arms and defeated the assailants. In gratitude for the deliverance the Scots made the thistle their national emblem.—Journal of Education.

Japan's Children.

From one end of Japan to the other a child is treated as a sacred thing, be it one's own or a stranger's. Each one carries its name and address on a ticket round its neck, but should it indeed stray from home food and shelter and kindness would meet it anywhere.

It may well be said that life is monotonous. In 50 years we undress for bed no fewer than 18,350 times, dressing again after each night's repose with cheerful resignation.—Tit-Bits.

Must Be Barbers and Musicians.

There is a barber shop in an up town avenue in New York where music goes with every shave. Never a barber is hired there who cannot twinkle the sweet mandolin or plunk the dreamy gnitar. The gentleman who can play on no instrument but the razor and the shears has no welcome in this tonsorial parlor, for the boss barber is musical and loves to mingle celestial strains with the torture of the barber chair. Whenever a chair is vacant, the attendant genius sits him down and performs on his favorite instrument.

Had Not Forgotten It.

The ward heeler, with whom the ambitious politician had been in consultation an hour or more, shook his head slowly.

"I don't know how it will turn out,' he said. "But I'll do the best I can for you. How about the liquor question?"

"I was about to ask it," replied the ambitious politician. "What'll you take?"—Chicago Tribune.

The Infinity of Space.

"Among the photographs you have seen," said Sir Robert Ball, "there are stars so far distant from this earth that if the glad tidings of that first Christmas 1,800 years ago had been dispatched then by an electric current which could speed seven times round our globe between every two ticks of the clock they would not yet have received them."

Forethought.

"Amanda," said the husband of the soon to be widowed young wife, "my last request is that you will not let anybody know there is a large insurance on my life. I want you to live in undisturbed enjoyment of it for a few years at least."—Chicago Tribune.

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A city minister was recently handed a notice to be read from his pulpit. Accompanying it was a clipping from a newspaper bearing upon the matter. The clergyman started to read the extract and found that it began: "Take Kemp's Balsam, the best cough cure." This was hardly what he expected and, after a moment's hesitation, he turned it over, and found on the other side the matter intended for the reading.

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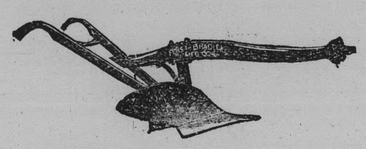
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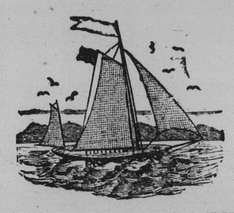
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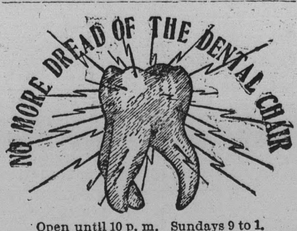
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